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Find your peer partner and join another pair to form

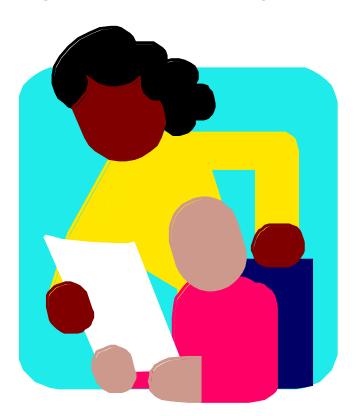
a group of 4

Review what you learned from completing the assignment and your questions

Report what you learned to the large group



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#### **Outcomes**

- Adults will demonstrate understanding of indirect teaching of vocabulary.
- Adults will model storytelling and support children in their storytelling efforts.





### **Iowa Early Learning Standards**

Children understand and use communication

and language for a variety of purposes.

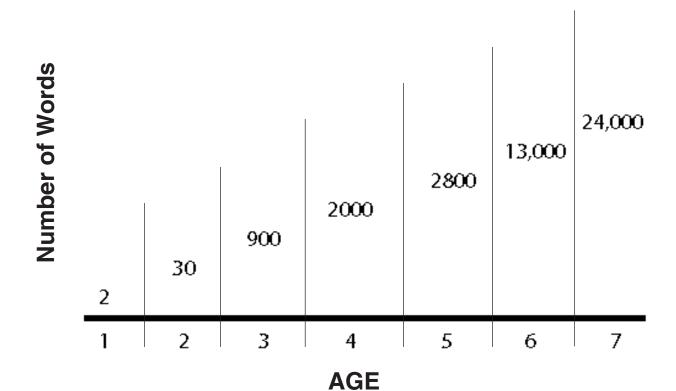
Children speak in sentences of increasing length and grammatical complexity.



#### **Benchmarks**

- Children will show a steady increase in listening and speaking vocabulary.
- Children will demonstrate the ability to tell a personal story.

## **Vocabulary Development**



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- Indirect = using an opportunity or situation to teach or reinforce words or concepts
- planned teaching,
  which includes
  pre-planning,
  selecting vocabulary word or concept,
  choosing related activities

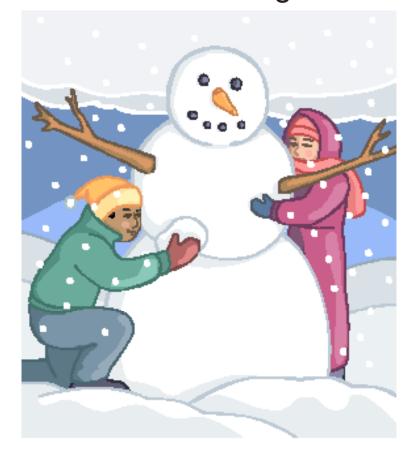
# **Indirect Teaching Suggestions**



- Name things
- Give explanations

Describe a routine or something

happening



## **Teaching Indirect Vocabulary**



- grimy (hands)
- liquid soap, silky
- faucet
- knuckles, wrist, palm
- germs, invisible







- Select an experience
- Think of five new words to talk about with children
- Select one word; tell partner what you would say about word to child
  - Suggestions
    - Name an object
    - Explain a word
    - Describe an event or something that happened





# Discuss with your neighbor

When are some times during the day you could introduce or reinforce new vocabulary?

What are you already doing?

What are some additional ideas

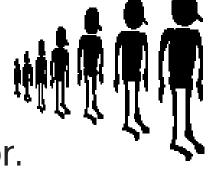






#### **Through Personal Storytelling**

- Develop vocabulary
- Recall and sequence informatior.



Improve listening skills



Improve speaking skills



- Model storytelling
  - Tell a story to get a story
- Expand children's stories
  - Assist children when they are 'stuck' by helping them expand their stories





- Keep story short
- Make story interesting and familiar to children
- Include
  main character,
  plot, and
  setting
- Encourage childrest tell their stories when finished with model story





# **Use strategies from Principle 2**

- Ask questions
- Make comments
- Repeat what children say
- Use phrases such as
  - Tell me more.
  - What happened next?





- Review Participant Profile
- Complete Evaluation Form
- Pick up Job Aids

